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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

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Title: GRINDING SYSTEM WITH
COOLANT SUBSYSTEM

Examiner: Dung V. Nguyen

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FIRST OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of 23 January 2003, Applicant has timely filed this Amendment by Certificate of Mailing. Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to withdraw the objections and rejections to this application and to grant allowance of this Application in view of the following remarks and amended claims.

Please amend this application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 8 of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.